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PRIOR-ART-DISCLOSED:

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<input type="checkbox"/> <u>4941170</u>	July 1990	Herbst	358/402 X
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>5115326</u>	May 1992	Burgess et al.	358/440

<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>5461488</u>	October 1995	Witek	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>5479411</u>	December 1995	Klein	358/402 X
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0429072	May 1991	EP	
0 581 722	February 1994	EP	
0615377	September 1994	EP	
2172348	July 1990	JP	
03-245 655	November 1991	JP	
06-350 641	December 1994	JP	
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9209169	May 1992	WO	
9403994	February 1994	WO	
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ABSTRACT:

An electronic mail system connected to a network includes a section for converting an image of a document surface into corresponding document image data, and a section for compressing the document image data into compression-resultant image data. The electronic mail system also includes a section for converting the compression-resultant image data into corresponding image data of a given electronic-mail format, a section for receiving information of an electronic-mail destination address, and a section for transmitting the image data of the electronic-mail format toward the electronic-mail destination address via the network. The electronic mail system may further include a section for receiving image data in an electronic mail, a section for converting the received image data into corresponding received image data of a given facsimile format, a section for expanding the received image data of the facsimile format into expansion-resultant image data, and a section for printing the expansion-resultant image data.

27 Claims, 33 Drawing figures

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<u>4510006</u>	April 1985	Lawson	283/74
<u>5074593</u>	December 1991	Grosso	283/77
<u>5372385</u>	December 1994	Sufuentes et al.	283/61
<u>5403236</u>	April 1995	Greig	283/74
<u>5601313</u>	February 1997	Konkol et al.	
<u>5653472</u>	August 1997	Huddleston et al.	
<u>5662976</u>	September 1997	Popat et al.	428/40.1
<u>5664725</u>	September 1997	Walz	
<u>5746450</u>	May 1998	Petkovsek	
<u>5765875</u>	June 1998	Rowley	283/74
<u>5873606</u>	February 1999	Haas et al.	283/75
<u>5873607</u>	February 1999	Waggoner	283/81

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ABSTRACT:

A foldable card for providing information to a user including a backing sheet, a printable sheet and an adhesive material on one side of the printable sheet releasably securing the backing and printable sheets together. The printable sheet includes first and second sections having substantially similar dimensions connected together at a fold line. Information is printable on a side of the first and second sections opposite the adhesive material during a single pass through a printer. When the printable sheet is removed the backing sheet and folded along the fold line, the adhesive material on the first and second sections secures the first and second sections together allowing the information printed on both the first and second section to be viewable. The foldable card may be produced in any shape such as a post card or I.D. tag. When used as an I.D. tag the first section may include a window through which an item between the first and second sections is viewable. First and second tabs extend from a respective one of the first and second sections and include an adhesive material on one side thereof causing them to be secured together when the foldable card is folded along the fold line and slits extending therethrough for receiving a button and releasably securing the folding card to clothing of a user. An extension portion extends from one tab and includes an adhesive material on one side thereof for selectively adhering the foldable card to an object.

11 Claims, 15 Drawing figures